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STORM DAMAGE SOUTH

Florida Cities and Towns Heard from at Last.

PROPERTY LOSS INCALCULABLE

Throughout the State There Was Great Damage Done to Homes, to Public Houses and to Orange Groves—No Loss of Life Reported.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Sept. 29.—Communication with south Florida is being restored and special dispatches are pouring in relative to the damage done by the West Indian cyclone which raged in the state Tuesday and Wednesday. The dispatches all tell the same story of houses wrecked and crops destroyed, but no loss of life is reported.

The Times-Union received a dispatch from Tampa yesterday, which is the first information from the place since Tuesday. At Tampa several large cigar factories were destroyed. The large three-story brick factory of Seidenberg & Co. was totally destroyed. The factory of C. A. Joyce was demolished, as were also the factories of Ybor & Manarola, Teodoro, Perz & Co. and O'Hallan. The First Presbyterian church and the palatial Tampa Bay hotel were badly damaged. Several smaller structures were also demolished. The total loss on buildings at Tampa is estimated at \$50,000.

Communication with Fernandina was also restored. A dispatch from that place says that the Schooner Edward Stewart, which was loaded and was lying at anchor, was blown across the river, pulling her anchor with her, and is now lying on a mud flat in about five feet of water. The small boats were all blown away, and numbers are now lying high and dry up the marsh, together with the floating dock which was at the foot of Center street. During the storm at Fernandina the British steamships Boston City and Elmville collided and were badly damaged.

A dispatch from Palatka announces great damage at that place to river craft. The steamer Princess was sunk between Palatka and Picolata. She is valued at \$1,000. The steamer Edith was driven ashore. The steamer DeBarry was driven against the drawbridge and wrecked. The steam yacht Mandie was sunk near Crescent City.

The Times-Union also received advices from St. Augustine. These advices were brought by Mrs. Anna M. Marcotte, the paper's St. Augustine reporter, who made the trip on a handcar.

No lives were lost, but several houses were wrecked, and the losses will run into the thousands. Nearly all the windows in the city were blown out, and the houses flooded with water. The Prince de Leon hotel was damaged in this way. The loss on the hotel's furniture was heavy. At St. Augustine the waves dashed over the sea wall and made rivers of the streets. Many of the wharves were blown away. Between Green Cove Springs and Palatka on the St. Johns twelve wharves have completely disappeared. Between Jacksonville and St. Augustine a telegraph pole was left standing.

The damage to the orange growers is incalculable. In the orange groves the ground is completely covered with green grass. The loss is fully 25 percent.

The east coast will cut off from communication below St. Augustine and Palatka. Every effort is being made to hear from Titusville, Jupiter and Key West, which are supposed to have been in the storm's center.

Disasters indicate that the storm was as severe in the interior of the state as on the coast. It struck Tampa and traveled northward for Jacksonville and St. Augustine. At Ocala and Orlando, interior points, several sea gulls and sea eels were found after the storm passed.

It is safe to say that the storm has cost Florida more than a million dollars, but no lives have been lost unless at Key West, Titusville, Jupiter and other east coast points.

Four Crushed to Death in a Mine.

SCRANTON, Pa., Sept. 29.—Two miners and two laborers were killed in the Northwest colliery of Simpson & Watkins, at Simpson, near Carbondale. Their mangled remains lie beneath a fall of rock, which is ten feet wide, six feet high and extends for at least sixty feet in the gangway of the third slope of the mine. The killed are: William B. Mitchell, aged 42 years, leaves a wife and six children; John J. Fanning, miner, 43, single; Andrew Clapscoy, laborer, 35, single; George Barney, laborer, 35, single.

Trying a March on Pekin.

YOKOHAMA, Sept. 29.—The general public is in favor of continuing the war against China in defiance of all obstacles, and it is urged that a desperate attack upon Pekin be made. All party feeling for the time will be suspended, and the diet will be ready to vote whatever credits are needed. Reinforcements are continually going forward, but nothing is known in regard to their destination.

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THE WAR IN COREA

Li Hung Chang and Other Chinese Leaders May be Deposited.

LONDON, Sept. 29.—A dispatch to The Times from Yokohama says: The destination of the second Japanese army of 30,000 is kept secret. The Japanese army in Corea is rapidly advancing north. No resistance to its progress is expected on this side of the Chinese frontier. There is no truth in the rumor of an armistice.

A dispatch from Shanghai says: It is believed the emperor contemplates a change of advisers and the dismissal of all the mandarins and others who have been concerned in the conduct of the war. Affairs at Pekin are tending towards an imperial coup d'etat, involving the overthrow of Li Hung Chang and other statesmen. It is suspected that the captain of the Chinese ship Kwang Kai will also be beheaded for cowardice and for stranding his vessel in attempt to escape during the action of the Yalu river. The evidence against him is strong.

It is reported that the emperor has granted Li Hung Chang's request to be allowed to take the field in person, and that Li Hung Chang will make his headquarters at Tai Tai, near Kai Ping, the present headquarters of the provincial commander-in-chief of Chih Li.

It is also reported that the Chinese troops have evacuated Corea and are now massed at Chih Lien Ching, thirty miles westward of the Yalu river. It is stated there have been numerous desertions from the Chinese army of late because of the faulty condition of the arms and ammunition supplied to the troops.

Another junk that was sailing through the North channel in order to evade the guard boats struck a torpedo and was blown to pieces. Several men were drowned.

It is reported that the Japanese have succeeded in entering the Chinese province of Manchuria and that they are advancing upon the capital, Mukden. It is also said that fighting has taken place between the invaders and the Chinese at a town between that city and the frontier. The engagement is said to have ended in a decisive victory for the Japanese, who, it is added, established themselves in the position previously occupied by the Chinese troops.

Franch Was Shocking Conversion.

BARCELONA, Sept. 29.—The reported conversion of Salvador Franch, the anarchist who is lying under sentence of death for the bomb outrage in the Lycée theater in November last, attracted much attention a few weeks ago. Franch made great professions of penitence and expressed a wish to join the Order of St. Francis and to wear the Franciscan habit in the future. Latterly the authorities have had reasons to suspect the sincerity of his conversion, and an order was issued yesterday directing that the anarchist be again confined strictly to the prison rules, which had been relaxed in his favor. Franch became very violent and uttered horrid curses against God and society.

Chicago's Welcome to Miss Willard.

CHICAGO, Sept. 29.—Willard Hall, in the Woman's temple, was crowded to overflowing yesterday by W. C. T. U. members who had assembled to welcome Miss Francis Willard, from her trip abroad. The occasion was the unveiling of the Chatanooga fountain, presented to the Women's Christian Temperance Union by Chatanooga, N. Y., to commemorate the birth of the union there in 1874. Addresses were made by Miss Willard and other women prominent in the organization. The day's exercises were followed by a reception held at the First Congregational church last night.

Mrs. Vanderbilt Home Again.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., Miss Vanderbilt and Master Harold Vanderbilt arrived last night on the steamer *Lucania*. The party was met at the landing only by a man servant and a crowd of newspaper men. Several of the latter attempted to interview Mrs. Vanderbilt, but were unsuccessful. She refused to answer any of their questions, and the party was driven directly to the Vanderbilt mansion at Fifty-third street and Fifth avenue.

A Much Wanted Female Swindler.

JERSEY CITY, Sept. 29.—Ida Wilcox, of Newark, alias Anna Johnson, of Albany, alias Mrs. D. H. Warren, of Chelsea, Mass., alias Emma Jean Kelcey, of Boston, alias Maria E. Gordon, was arrested in Jersey City yesterday. She is wanted in many cities on the charge of swindling.

Her method was to furnish a flat or house on the installment plan and then sell the furniture. She will be held for extradition.

Christian Endeavor Convention.

BOSTON, Sept. 29.—General Secretary Baer of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, announces that the international convention of 1895 will be held in Boston instead of San Francisco. This change has been made on account of the long delay of western railroad managers in announcing a decision in regard to special rates to the Pacific coast.

Officers Sentenced to Siberia.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 29.—A court martial sitting at Kiel has condemned M. Kwiatowski, ex-staff officer to the lifelong hard labor in Siberia and thirty-seven others to long periods of exile in Siberia for treason. Their offense consisted in disclosing to Austria in 1892 plans of the Kiel mobilization and the Warsaw fortifications.

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McKinley Talks to West Virginians.

GALLIPOLIS, O., Sept. 29.—The author of the McKinley tariff law yesterday paid his compliments to the author of the Wilson tariff law. There was a good sized audience present, composed largely of West Virginians who had crossed the river to hear Governor McKinley, and who joined as heartily as their Ohio neighbors in applauding the satirical references to the famous West Virginian who is the head of the war and means committee.

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THE CZAR'S HEALTH.

It Is Causing Great Anxiety in St. Petersburg.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 29.—The condition of the czar is considerably worse. The kidney inflammation from which he is suffering is much increased, and as his majesty's breathing at the beginning of the week became somewhat difficult and hard Professor Leyden, the celebrated specialist in internal complaints, was summoned from Berlin. He arrived at Spala Tuesday evening. His majesty appears to suffer much pain and is very low spirited. Professors Ziebarth and Leyden, who are in attendance upon him, wish to send his majesty as soon as possible to the Crimea, but have not yet been able to decide upon taking the risk of the long journey.

So far as known here, where nothing is published about the czar's health, his majesty did not leave Spala on Thursday. When he was ill with influenza in St. Petersburg bulletins were daily posted giving all the particulars. Strange to say, now that his majesty's illness in Poland is the subject of grave anxiety to all classes, not a word has yet appeared in print, official or otherwise, regarding his condition.

A dispatch to The Times from Vienna says it is considered that the czar's kidney disease is the result of moral and mental anxiety and worry.

Commenting upon the probability of the czarowitz ascending the throne, it is added that traditional etiquette requires the heir to the Russian throne to keep aloof from politics. Thus every Russian emperor at the beginning of his reign is obliged to be largely dependent upon his advisers. This it is that gives causes for European anxiety.

Murdered by Burglars.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 29.—Evan Kavan, the proprietor of a boarding house near Miner's Mills, a small village in the northern part of this county, was murdered by burglars Thursday night. Kavan, who is also known as Stephen Politsha, was aroused shortly after 11 o'clock by a noise at his front door, and, looking from his window, saw four men attempting to break into the house. Seizing an ax Kavan rushed down stairs, threw open the door and ordered the men to be off. They retreated a short distance and then invited him to come outside. Kavan went into another room, secured a revolver, and, coming to the front again, raised a window and fired. The burglars returned the shot and Kavan fell back into his wife's arms with a bullet in his heart. The murderers escaped, and no clew has been discovered.

Publily Hors-whipped.

COURTLAND, Ala., Sept. 29.—Abraham, a prominent merchant, was publicly horsewhipped here yesterday by Miss Lucille Doss, daughter of Peter Doss, Sr., proprietor of the Doss hotel. It is said that Abraham made a disparaging remark about the young lady, which reached her ears. Miss Doss brought streams of blood with every blow, and made him beg for mercy. He was also attacked by a brother of the young lady, and would have been killed but for the interference of the chief of police, who arrested all the parties.

Peccular and Fatal Accident.

MATCH CHURK, Pa., Sept. 29.—John Craig, the 6-year-old son of Colonel John Craig, of Lehigh Gap, this country, met with a peculiar accident yesterday afternoon, which resulted fatally. The lad's mother was in Match Churk, visiting the family of her brother-in-law, Judge Allen Craig. During her absence the boy roamed about the premises at will. Finding a sharp chisel he made a plaything of it, but in some manner he stumbled and fell and the chisel struck his neck, severing the jugular vein. He died in a short time.

Severely Beaten by Strikers.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 29.—Three striking switchmen severely beat E. G. Fish, assistant superintendent of the Burlington railway, near the Junction depot. The men were W. S. Murphy, J. E. Coile and William Cross. They stopped Mr. Fish's buggy and demanded a certificate of good behavior from him, which he refused. Coile and Murphy threw stones, which painfully injured the superintendent, and then dragged him from his buggy and kicked him. Murphy was arrested, but Coile got away.

Jack the Whipper" in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Sept. 29.—"Jack the Whipper" has broke loose and is making life full of terrors to the female bicyclists who ride in Washington park during the evening. Jack has a frantic aversion to bloomers, and his method of expressing his dislike is to plow a few lusty whirls with a raw hide whip on a girl inside them. He has severely whiped two young women and pursued several others. The park police have so far been unable to catch him.

Not Guilty of Murder.

ROANOKE, Va., Sept. 29.—The jury in the case of Walter S. Boone, who has been on trial for the past three days for murder, brought in a verdict yesterday afternoon of not guilty. Boone was indicted some time ago by the grand jury for participation in the riot of last September in which nine citizens lost their lives. This trial set the riot cases as Frank Shepard, the only other indicted person who has not been tried, has left this section of the country.

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SARCEY'S FAMOUS DUEL.

The Noted Parisian Critic's Own Story of the Encounter.

At this moment appears a gentleman whom all Paris knows and almost all Parisians adore—namely, Francisque Sarcey. Knowing himself to be among friends, he talked freely. For half a century nearly our great critic has held the pen, at first timidly, and now he wields it with unquestioned authority. Like most Parisian celebrities, he was born in the provinces, at Dourdan, where his father kept a school after the fall of the first Napoleon dissolved the army in which the elder Sarcey had insisted on enlisting in spite of his excesses—nearsightedness, transmitted to his son. There Sarcey's parents toiled with varying fortunes, and thence Francisque took his flight for Paris and walked firmly in the footprints of the late Jules Janin, who also devoted his life to dramatic criticism. He makes an idol of the drama. He lives for his work. He respectfully considers dramatic criticism an art and not a trade, and perhaps for that reason is the greatest critical authority in France.

He told us of his duel with Hector Pessard, the musical critic and comic opera composer, who is a very charming man, by the way. Sarcey, in 1865, wrote a scathing attack on Girardin's paper, *La Liberte*. Emile de Girardin objected on principle to duels, so the editorial staff, considering their literary style insulted by Sarcey, drew lots as to who would call him out and kill him if possible. The lot fell on Pessard. Now, Pessard and Sarcey were great friends, but it was necessary to obey the call of honor, so Pessard sent the challenge, which Sarcey accepted with dignity. The adversaries took off their coats and vests and faced each other, swords in hand, when, lo! the four seconds took to squabbling over some detail. The dispute was long and ferocious, and the two adversaries fell into conversation, sword in hand.

Quoth Pessard—I am frozen. Would you mind if I put on my coat?

Sarcey—A good idea. We can kill each other later.

Pessard—Let me tell you, my dear Sarcey, how greatly I admire your talent.

Sarcey—I can say the same to you, but why are we going to kill each other?

Pessard—I don't quite know. It seems you grossly insulted me, and if I do not succeed in killing you that you must certainly slay me in expiation.

Sarcey (moderately)—I do not remember having insulted you, but if you say so I suppose it is true.

In the meantime the four seconds were quarreling furiously. One gentleman was shaking his fist in his opponent's face and another was brandishing his riding whip, whereupon Sarcey suddenly burst out laughing and said:

"Come, Pessard, let us separate our seconds, and then, instead of cutting each other's throats, we will go and have some breakfast."

Which was no sooner said than done, and the two duelists have been fast friends ever since.—Paris Letter in Philadelphia Telegraph.

EXCURSIONS FOR SCHOOLS.

A Form of Instruction Sarcey Yet Known In This Country.

Among the methods of instruction scarcely yet known in our country, but long established in Germany, is the school excursion. Indeed, while to the uninitiated this measure may be regarded as no less than revolutionary, it is nevertheless true that excursions from two to three weeks in duration were undertaken by Salzmann with the pupils of his school at Schneppenthal, in Thuringia, when Washington was president of the United States. Since the close of the last century the school excursion, in one form or another, has been growing in popularity in Germany, and today it forms a regular feature of perhaps the majority of the elementary schools of that country.

The school excursion offers the most favorable opportunity for introducing the child into many branches of knowledge, for the reason that, by means of outings, the pupil may be brought in direct contact with various phases of nature and the works of man. And indeed the locality is exceptionally unfavorable where an abundance of material may not be found for instructing the child in geography, history and the natural sciences.

In Germany this broad study of the environment is recognized as a distinct branch of knowledge, known as die heimat-kunde (homœology), and as such is included in the curriculum of the first three years of the elementary schools.—Dr. J. M. Rice in Forum.

Limitations of Fame.

"I went into the office of a Texas editor one day," says Mr. Fred Polham, the Lyceum bureau man, "to see about some corrections in the proof of a programme I was having printed there. 'This name,' says I, 'is Bret Harte, not Bretwarte.' 'All right,' answered the editor. But the name came back 'Bretwarte.' Again I undertook to explain: 'Bret is the first name, and Harte is the second,' said I. 'Surely you have read his books and know about Bret Harte, the poet-author?' 'No,' said the editor, 'I never heard of him before in all my life, but then you can't expect the editor of a live daily in a busy town to have time to keep track of every little jinior poet that bobs up!'"—Chicago Record.

A Pardonable Mistake.

Hotel Proprietor—What is that crowd outside looking at?

Clerk (after a brief inspection)—Well, I swan! That jay in No. 500 has twisted around his gas jet and poked it out the window with the flame burning.

Proprietor—Front! Take a pair of shears to No. 500, get that card which says—

"Don't blow out the gas.
Turn it out.
and out off the last line."—New York Weekly.



A few Pennies

on the one hand—ruined garments on the other. That will be the result of your trying to save money by using poor, cheap washing-powders, instead of Pearline. Just consider. How much could you save in a year if you bought the cheapest and most worthless? And that would be an toward paying in a year. You can't save anything by buying cheap washing-powders. The way to save money in washing is to use what has been proved to be absolutely safe. That is Pearline. Millions use it.

REPRESSION.

On, sing a song to delight the world, And play sonatas most sweet and rare! Send hope's message to heart sick souls, And banish from earth all carking care!

Abi pinioned the hands that erstwhile played, And hushed the voice that longeth to sing, Grieved the life, as the prisoned bird That beateth the bars with tireless wing.

Perchance in the fuller, broader sphere That giveth when these short years are o'er, The yearning soul—ah, then free indeed!— Is he're rejoiced on the other shore.

Fanny L. Fancher in Minneapolis House-keep.

THE ENGAGED YOUNG MAN.

He Who Follows These Rules Shall Be Happy In His Betrothal.

It will be well for the man who expects to sail smoothly into the matrimonial port to continue those flattering attentions after his engagement which preceded it. It will not suffice for him to talk of what he is saving to make their little home worthy of her. He must, by some magic, be able both to save money for the future and to provide her with the flowers, books, bonbons, theater tickets and other trifles which he bestow upon her when there was no future to be taken into consideration.

He must treat her people with deference, cordiality and filial affection. He must let her complain of all their faults, retail all the family quarrels and point out all the family imperfections without ever allowing the knowledge he acquires thus to tinge his behavior. He must listen to her abuse of them with sympathy and never by any chance show anything but the highest regard for them himself.

He must like all her friends. He must treat "the girls" with the intimacy which never borders on familiarity; must enjoy their society, which will be thrust upon him at all times and places, and at the same time must be prepared to agree with her estimate of their shortcomings. It will be just as well for him never to admire them too extravagantly.

In public he must always be prepared to show her the attention she needs, but must also be prepared to let her "have a good time," unhampered by his devotion. For instance, he must never let her sit out a dance alone, yet he must never glower when she seems to be dancing often with other men. His manner must be a perfect mingling of devotion and nonentity.

Incidentally it may be added that an occasional dose of neglect is wholesome, and that a semi-annual quarrel is not to be despised.—Philad'lphia Times.

That is spot, the Editor.

The despot of oldiers is not so arbitrary as it used to be. My memory does not go back to the fear in which the quarterly, "so gross and slatternly," used to be held. One would have supposed it took its name from its quarreling as well as executing its victrics. In my time nobody cared much for the attacks of the heavier revues, partly perhaps because they were generally belated and did not bear down upon authors until their reputations had been established, but the power of the weekly organs of literature was still considerable. The then editor of *The Atheneum*, Hepworth Dixon, was greatly feared by the small fry of literature and not much liked by the large fry.

It is well known that Thackeray had objections to his daughter becoming an authoress, from the apprehension of what Dixon might write of her work. I remember as a young man, when speaking rather gushingly of the kindness I had received from editors in Dickens' presence, he observed with a droll look that he concluded I had not yet made the acquaintance of Hepworth Dixon. I had met him, however, at dinner and had had rather a humorous experience of him.

I was sitting next to a great eastern scholar, who had told me quite as much as I wanted to hear of Assyria and was still going on, when he was suddenly interrupted by the host, who, in a tone of conciliatory reproof, observed: "Professor So-and-so, silence if you please. Mr. Hepworth Dixon is about to say something." I forgot what he said, but the rout of the Assyrian was complete and amused me exceedingly.—James Payn in *Cornhill Magazine*.

Cheikin Surgery In Florida.

A marauding hawk made an attack on a Lakeland (Fla.) fowlry and succeeded in ripping a chicken's craw entirely from its body, so that it dragged on the ground, and also cutting a hole through the craw, so that it would not hold food. A day or two afterward the owner caught it, and one of the ladies of the family performed a surgical operation. The craw was sewed up, the chicken was sealed in hot water until it was elastic again, the craw was restored to its place, the wound sewed up, and now that is about the healthiest chicken in the yard.

More Important.

Reporter—There is a story just come to the office that your daughter has eloped with your footman. Is it true?

Banker—Yes, sir, it is true. And you may add that the rascal has taken with him a brand new suit of my livery.—New York Herald.

The Saracens burned the Alexandrian library and the great library of Matthew Corvinas, king of Hungary, which contained 400,000 volumes. When Granada was taken, Cardinal Ximenes retorted in kind by destroying all the Korans and Moorish books to be found in the city.

The torpedo or electrical fish has two distinct galvanic batteries. When irritated, the fish has been known to deliver 100 shocks in two minutes. When taken from the water, its electrical power is nearly four times as great as when in its native element.

Delaware has no state prison. State convicts are sent to the three county prisons or to the Maryland penitentiary at Baltimore.

FROM GIRLHOOD TO WOMANHOOD. The change is fraught with dangers. If there be pain, headache and nervous disturbances, or the general health poor, the judicious use of medicine should be employed. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the best tonic and nervine at this time. It brings the avenously functions, eases female weakness, eases uterine derangements.

Stevens, Northampton, Conn. Va. Dr. R. V. PIERCE: Dear Sir—After a long and painful I have had a new person. I shall recover and you and your wife are welcome whenever I go.

Yours truly,
Mrs. WILLIETTA DOUGHTY.

Pierce as a Cure OR MONEY REFUNDED.

LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BOXES

For the information of our readers we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the alarm boxes in this city:

- 14—Wickham ave., Cor. Prince, O. & W. R. R. North street, corner of Prince and Wickham, shop.
- 15—South street, and Wm. and Wm. type shop.
- 16—Railroad Ave. and Montgomery St.
- 17—Grand avenue, corner of Prince street.
- 22—Wickham avenue, corner of Henry street.
- 23—West Main street, corner of West street.
- 24—James and Henry streets.
- 25—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
- 26—Lake avenue and West street.
- 27—W. Main street, corner of Monroe avenue.
- 28—State Hospital, and Highland avenue.
- 29—Fulton and Hill streets hot shop.
- 30—High and Hanford streets.
- 31—Canal street, condensery.
- 32—Mulberry and Franklin street.
- 33—Fulton and Hill streets.
- 34—Academy and Houston avenues.
- 35—E. Main street, foot of Orchard street.
- 36—Academy avenue and Genung street.
- 37—Myrtle and Franklin avenues.
- 38—Orange street and Sprague avenue.
- 39—Franklin Square.

MIDDLETOWN TIME CARD.

The following is the time of departure of passenger trains from Middletown stations on Friday, June 17th, '94, and continuing until further notice:

N. Y. L. E. & W. RAILROAD.

EAST BOUND.

- 50—Chicago Express..... 1:35 p.m.
- 51—Buffalo Express..... 6:31 a.m.
- 52—Middletown Way, T. 6:36 a.m.
- 53—C. O. & P. 7:10 a.m.
- 54—Mountain Express..... 8:23 a.m.
- 55—Del Valley Ex., G. M. P. 8:41 a.m.
- 56—Way Mail (Tex. Sunday) 8:59 a.m.
- 57—Way, M. P. G. 9:45 p.m.
- 58—Way, M. & C. Branch 10:12 a.m.
- 59—Milford, Conn. 7:53 a.m.
- 60—W. & P. Express..... 7:53 a.m.
- 61—Patterson Local (Sun only) 8:23 a.m.
- 62—Port Jervis, N. Y. 8:38 a.m.
- 63—Port Jervis, N. Y. 10:35 a.m.
- 64—Day Express..... 11:25 a.m.
- 65—Port Jervis, N. Y. 1:04 p.m. 11:01 p.m.
- 66—Port Jervis, L. O. 3:49 p.m.
- 67—Chittenango Limited..... 4:00 p.m.
- 68—Chittenango Express..... 4:30 p.m.
- 69—Orange County, N. Y. 4:30 p.m.
- 70—Middleton Way, arrives 8:00 p.m.
- 71—Middleton Way, departs 7:28 p.m.
- 72—Chittenango Express (Sun only) 10:45 a.m.
- 73—Port Jervis, N. Y. 1:15 p.m.
- 74—Port Jervis, L. O. 3:15 p.m.
- 75—Port Jervis, L. O. 3:16 p.m.
- 76—Milford, Conn. 6:13 a.m.
- 77—Milford, Conn. 6:55 p.m.
- 78—Train marked with a 1 runs to the Tivoli, New York, and 2 runs to the 2nd class, and 3 runs to the 1st class. All other trains daily except Sunday.
- 79—Train No. 6 will only stop for passengers for Birmingham or west the east end; notification must be given at the ticket office. It will stop at the following stations, after indicating via "G" or "W" with Newburgh Branch.
- 80—Greene art: "T" with Newburgh "Short Cut" Branch, via Turners, "M" with Montgomery Branch; "P" with Pine and Land Branch.
- 81—Passenger trains for New York, at 4:15 p.m.
- 82—Milford, Conn. 7:00 p.m



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Brings comfort and improvement and tends to personal enjoyment when rightly used. The many, who live better than others and enjoy life more, with less expenditure, by more promptly adapting the world's best products to the needs of physical being, will attest the value to health of the pure liquid laxative principles embraced in the remedy, Syrup of Figs.

Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from very objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all drugists in 50 cent bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

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ONE NIGHT ONLY.

Monday Evening, Oct. 1st.
A LAUGHING SERIES OF DOMESTIC SITUATIONS.

The Great Farical Comedy,

CHARLEY'S AUNT!

Direct from New York, where it was played eight months to crowded houses.

Will be presented here by a star cast, under the direction of Charles Frohman.

Seats on sale at Dusinberry's.

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ONE NIGHT.

Friday Evening, Oct. 5th.

Wait for the big show. The greatest and most novel organization in existence. A congress of star artists.

Mollie Whitten's Jockey Minstrels.

40 PEOPLE 40

A Galaxy of Beauty

THE Prettiest and most attractive ladies, best vocal and dancing, greatest Band and Orchestra ever engaged by any traveling company.

The most novel street parade ever witnessed. Watch for it. Don't miss it. Secure seats in time.

Where the Casino Chart Can be Found. The chart for the advance sale of tickets for the Casino Theatre will hereafter be found at H. S. Dusinberry & Son's jewelry store, 4 North street.

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES.

Notes of Sunday Services and Other Matters of Religious Interest.

Old School Baptist Church.—Elder Benton Jenkins, pastor. Services to-morrow at 3 p. m.

Bethel A. M. E. Church.—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday School at 3 p. m.

Faith Mission, 11 Mill street, Elder D. L. Cenking, pastor.—Sunday School at 2 p. m.; interesting gospel meetings at 3 and 7:30 p. m. Seats free.

A. M. E. Zion Church.—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., by the pastor, Rev. P. M. Jackson. All are welcome.

The Epworth League of the Newburgh District will hold its annual convention in the Liberty M. E. Church, Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 13th. and 14th. A very large attendance of delegates and others is expected.

Y. M. C. A.—The meeting for men only will be held to-morrow at 3:30 p. m. All men are welcome.

Deutsche Evangelisch Lutherische St. Thomas Gemeinde. Service at 7:30 p. m. in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian Church. Preaching by Rev. Dr. H. Katz.

Grace Church.—Rev. David Evans, B. A., pastor. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m. in the Assembly Rooms. The full choir will be present.

First Presbyterian Church, Rev. Thos. Gordon, D. D., pastor.—Services by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 4 p. m. Strangers cordially invited.

First Baptist Church, Frank A. Heath, pastor.—Worship with sermon at 11 o'clock, subject—"The prayer which God denied;" Bible School at 12:15 p. m.; Juniors at 3 p. m.; Baptist Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m., conquest meeting; preaching at 7:30 p. m., subject—"A place of repentence; sought with tears but not found." Our seats are all and always free. Everybody welcome.

Second Presbyterian Church, Rev. Charles Beattie, pastor.—Services morning and evening. Other services as usual. The fifteen annual sermon to Excelsior will be given in the evening.

Universalist Service.—Rev. V. E. Tomlinson, of Hudson, will preach at the Assembly Rooms, to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. All are cordially invited to be present.

North Street Congregational Church—Morning services at 10:30, preaching by the pastor; Sunday School immediately following; Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30; preaching in the evening at 7:30 by Dr. Creegan, of New York. Seats free. Strangers welcome.

Free Christian Church, non-sectarian, Rev. C. M. Winchester, pastor.—Sunday School and Bible class at 11 a. m.; preaching at 7:30 p. m.

St. Paul's M. E. Church, Rev. Dr. Darwood, pastor.—Preaching by the pastor morning and evening. Morning subject—"Does God now hear and answer prayer as formerly?" Evening subject, the third of the series on "Our friends beyond the grave." Theme, "The spiritual or celestial body;" Sunday School at 9:30 and class meeting at 10 a. m.; Junior League meeting at 3 p. m., conducted by Mrs. Darwood; Senior League prayer meeting at 6:30, subject—"The ten virgins, wisdom and folly personified." Seats free and strangers welcome at all services.

The Caven Murder Mystery.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 29.—The police have found a man who saw Caven et al. in company with a married woman the afternoon before he was murdered. This woman he had never seen with before in the same place, which is a disreputable district where the crime was committed.

No matter what the disease is or how many doctors have failed to cure you, ask your druggist for a 25-cent vial of one of Munyon's Cures and if you are not benefited your money will be refunded.

MUNYON'S METHODS.

A WONDERFUL RECORD OF A WONDERFUL MAN.

A Revolution in Medicine That Will Increase the Average Life to Three Score Years and Ten.

Nearly three years have passed away since Professor Munyon started the country by his declaration that he had made a discovery whereby he could cure ninety-six per cent. of all diseases and positively reduce the death rate thirty per cent.

That his prediction has been verified is amply attested and proven by the thousands of people who have been cured.

The Professor says: "Life and death are serious subjects, and the greatest crime man can be guilty of is to deceive or trifling with human afflictions." The Professor believes that the average human life should be three score years and ten, and that by the use of his little sugar pellets people can ward off disease and die only of old age.

In order that everyone may have an opportunity to test his remedies, Professor Munyon has placed them at the remarkably low price of 25 cents per vial, thus putting them within the reach of all. The remedies can be procured at any drug store. They are prepared on new and scientific principles, are pleasant to take, absolutely harmless, relieve almost instantly and speedily cure the most obstinate cases.

A valuable book, "Guide to Health," can be had of any druggist free, which intelligently sets forth in plain, simple language how anyone may cure themselves.

Munyon's Rheumatism Cure never fails to relieve in 1 to 3 hours and cure in a few days. Price 25c.

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Munyon's Catarrh Cure soothes and heals the afflicted parts and restores them to health. No failure; a cure guaranteed. Price 25c.

Munyon's Liver Cure corrects headache, biliousness, jaundice, constipation and all liver diseases. Price 25c.

Munyon's Kidney Cure speedily cures pains in the back, loins or groins and all forms of kidney disease.

Munyon's Blood Cure eradicates all impurities of the blood. Price 25c.

Munyon's Cathartic insures a free and natural movement of the bowels without the least pain or discomfort.

Munyon's Pile Ointment positively cures all kinds of piles.

Munyon's Asthma Herbs are guaranteed to relieve asthma in two minutes.

Munyon's Cold Cure prevents pneumonia and breaks up a cold in a few hours. Price 25c.

Munyon's Cough Cure stops coughs night sweats, allays soreness and speedily heals the lungs. Price 25c.

Munyon's Nerve Cure restores over-worked and overstressed nerves to a healthy condition. Price 25c.

Munyon's Headache Cure stops headache in three minutes. Price 25c.

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CHARLEY'S AUNT.

A Very Amusing Comedy at the Casino, Monday Evening.

Brandon Thomas's new play, "Charley's Aunt," which is to be produced at the Casino, on Monday night, is one that should need no extended introduction to the local amusement public. It is already stamped with the approval of New York, Chicago and Boston playgoers, and its reception in each city named was thoroughly genuine. The play thoroughly demonstrates the proficiency of the English school dramatist in evolving numerous complications and the jaded theatregoers will find in it an evening of relaxation. The story of the play develops in an entertaining and breezy fashion, and the first and second acts stand as perfect results of the comedy dramatist's brain, complication following complication in swift sequence, and the dialogue abounding in flashes of wit. Mr. Charles Frohman's company contains well known players.

Relieved of a Cruel and Unjust Suspicion.

The investigation made by Coroner McKinnon into the circumstances attending the death of Ernest Chase, a well-to-do farmer of Trout Creek, Delaware county, has relieved his widow and a young man named St. John, who was in Chase's employ, from a cruel and unjust suspicion of having caused his death by poison. A post mortem showed that death was due to a large tumor on the brain and now those who had been quick to accuse Mrs. Chase are wishing that they had not been so hasty in charging her with murder.

Acknowledgement.

The Young Ladies' Auxiliary of Thrall Hospital acknowledges the receipt of \$20.75, the net proceeds of the recent hop at Midway Park, and desires to publicly express its thanks therefor.

—Register, to-night.

—Don't put it off, register to-night.

A Baby Heroine.

DUNDEE, Ia., Sept. 29.—A 7-year-old girl saved a passenger train on the Chicago and Great Western road near Dundee. She was seen by the engineer waving her little red apron as a signal. The engineer stopped the train, and the little girl told him the bridge around the curve was burning.

Premier Dupuy to Resign.

PARIS, Sept. 29.—Both La Patrie and The Courrier announce that Premier Dupuy is to resign almost immediately, and that he will be succeeded by M. Raymond Poincaré.

Mercier's Condition.

MONTRÉAL, Sept. 29.—There is no change in ex-Premier Mercier's condition. The fine weather seems to have revived him somewhat.

NUGGETS OF NEWS.

Mrs. W. L. Jones, wife of a prominent insurance agent of Pittsburgh, was thrown from a carriage and killed in that city last night.

George Appo, the green goods man who "gave away" his pals at the New York police investigation, attempted suicide by stabbing yesterday.

Tom Moore and Eugene Fulks, two white men, were executed at Paris, Tex., yesterday afternoon for murder committed in the Indian Territory.

Miss Raine, an eccentric lady in England, who died recently, has left a legacy to Lord Randolph Churchill her mansion and estate in Oxfordshire, "in recognition of his commanding political genius."

A Pittsburgh Councillor in Trouble.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 29.—Ex-Councilman Richard Armstrong was placed on trial on a charge of offering a bribe of \$300 to Councilman James Born to secure his vote for Gustave Kaufman as supervising architect for the proposed new water works for Allegheny City. Kaufman was defeated for the position.

Johnson Makes a New Record.

WALTHAM, Mass., Sept. 29.—John S. Johnson, the Syracuse bicyclist, knocked two seconds off the world's mile record flying start, paced, held by Bliss, by covering the mile yesterday afternoon in 1:56.5. The trial was held under special sanction of the L. A. W., and the time is official.

Uncle Sam's Pension Roll.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—The report of the third auditor of the treasury for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1894, shows the total disbursements at pension agencies on account of pensions for that year to have been \$187,626.951.

Violent End of a Long Life.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 29.—Mrs. Catherine Hartman, aged 105, was run down by a motor car in South St. Louis, and died soon after. She was deaf, and did not hear the alarm bell.

Murdered by Fleeing Burglars.

ELGIN, O., Sept. 29.—At 2 o'clock in the morning a young man named John Henry at Grafton, O., was awakened by burglars in his room. Henry gave chase and was shot and killed by one of the thieves. The burglar, have been tracked to this place.

A New Austrian Minister.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—Chevalier de Tavares, the Austrian minister to this country, has been assigned by his government as minister to Brazil, and the present Austrian minister to Brazil has been assigned to take the chevalier's place in this country.

Killed on an Electric Road.

COLLMER, Pa., Sept. 29.—A work car collided with a passenger car on the Donnelson electric railway, near here. Dennis Kehoe, aged 50 years, was killed and John Ford had his jaw broken. Both were workmen. Ford was running contrary to orders.

Fatal Fire in British Columbia.

NANAIMO, B. C., Sept. 29.—Two men were burned to death, two other men and a little girl were badly injured, and \$100 worth of property was destroyed by a fire that broke out here early in the morning.

Carnegie Cut Wages.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 29.—The Carnegie company proposes to readjust the wages of its 5,000 employees at the Edgar Thomson Steel works. This, of course, means a reduction.

Strike Leaders Indicted.

ST. CLOUD, Minn., Sept. 29.—Indictments have been found against Paul Bordeau, L. B. Foster, W. R. Brohan, Lloyd and Harry Egbert and George Amo, all of this city; for taking part in the Great Northern strike and hindering the passage of mail trains. George Amo and Harry Egbert have left for parts unknown. Foster, Brohan and Lloyd Egbert were arrested.

Death Rather Than Arrest.

PHILADELPHIA, N. J., Sept. 29.—William Benwood, of Harmony, who was indicted by the grand jury, at Belvidere, on Thursday, charged with assault and battery on a boy, yesterday was found hanging in his wagon shed, having committed suicide. Benwood had learned of the action of the grand jury, and that the sheriff was after him.

Major Dennis Acquitted.

ONAH, N. H., Sept. 29.—The judges of the circuit court, who have been conducting the impeachment trial of Mayor George W. Dennis, last evening handed down a decision finding the defendant not guilty of malfeasance, exonerating him on every charge made.

Bucklin's Arsenic Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents a box. For sale by McMonagle & Rogers.



"As old as the hills" never exceeded. "True and proven" is the verdict of millions. Simmons Liver Regulator is the only Liver and Kidney medicine to which you can pin your faith for a cure. \$1.00 a mild laxative, a no-purely vegetable, acting directly on the Liver and Kidneys. Try it sold by all druggists in Liquid, or in Powder to be taken dry or made into a tea.

The King of Liver Medicines.

"I have used your Simmons Liver Regulator and can conscientiously say it is the king of all liver medicines. I consider it medicine chest in itself." Geo. W. Jackson, Tacoma, Washington.

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J. F. ROBINSON, - - - - - Business Manager
SATURDAY, SEPT. 29, 1894.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

For Governor, DAVID BENNETT HILL.
For Lieutenant-Governor, DANIEL N. LOCKWOOD.
For Judge of the Court of Appeals, WILLIAM J. GAYNOR.

The best thing the Constitutional Convention did was to adjourn. The next best thing was to adopt only twenty-three of the 304 amendments that were proposed.

Sherill E. Smith, of Delhi, one of the editors and proprietors of the *Delaware Gazette*, has been nominated for Congress by the Democrats of the Twentieth District, composed of Delaware, Tioga, Broome, Chenango and Tompkins counties.The Republican papers of this vicinity announced in great glee, last week, that Editor McNally, a life-long Democrat, had placed the Republican ticket at the head of the columns of the *Goshen News*. They will have a chance to announce now that the *News* publishes this week the Democratic State ticket above the Republican ticket. The *News* is an independent paper and space is given both tickets for the information of its readers.

Secretary of War Lamont is sanguine of Democratic success in this State. In an interview, yesterday, he said:

"I see no reason why Mr. Hill should not be elected. New York is a Democratic State and has been for thirty years. Mr. Hill is a vote getter, and the campaign will undoubtedly be an active one. There may be some men of greater or less prominence, with more or less of a following, who will refuse to support him, but he will not be concerned about that. He has his own way of making a canvass and will look elsewhere for his votes. He has unquestionably looked the ground over and knows about where his strength lies, and thoroughly understands the situation. His opponents are not an exceptionally strong candidate. Mr. Morton is an agreeable gentleman, but there is nothing in his candidacy to attract such Democrats as may not like Mr. Hill, nor is he likely to draw the independent vote. I see no reason why Mr. Hill should not be elected."

At the last election the inspectors in the Fifth Deer Park District refused to accept the ballots of nine voters who had not returned from the booths when the hour fixed by law for closing the polls arrived and the voters, therefore, were disfranchised. Mr. T. P. Kelly, one of the inspectors at that election and a member of this year's board, having doubts of the legality of the action of the board last year, wrote the Attorney General for an interpretation of the law. The Attorney General says in his opinion:

"A voter can demand ballots up to the time fixed for the closing of the polls. The delivery to, and receipt by, the voter of ballots, constitutes a part of the process of voting, and it is the duty of the inspectors of election to give to a voter, if required by him, the full length of time given by statute for the preparation of his ballot and the inspectors are required to receive and deposit the ballot of such voter, though past the time of closing, providing, however, that such extension is not longer than the time given him by the statute for the preparation of his ballot as above said."

There are, it seems, a few men calling themselves Cleveland Democrats, who do not see their way clear to supporting David B. Hill because of the excess of their loyalty and devotion to Mr. Cleveland. They assume that Senator Hill's candidacy represents hostility to the Cleveland administration and a purpose to perpetuate the old fight against the anti-snappers. They forget that Mr. Hill was not a candidate for the nomination which the convention forced upon him, but instead advocated the nomination of Judge Gaynor, an original anti snapper, and when he refused to be a candidate, did his utmost to induce Mr. William C. Whitney, a pronounced friend of Mr. Cleveland, to accept the nomination. Mr. Hill was not forced into the field until every attempt to bring an acceptable Cleveland man to the front had failed.

No matter what any one may say, the issue in this State is not the personality of the candidate, but the approval or disapproval of Mr. Cleveland's administration and of the work of the Democratic Congress. Democratic victory is a notice to all the country that the President's own State stands by and endorses him and his record.—Republican victory that the President's own State re-

gards his administration as a failure. There is no escape from the logic of the situation. The Democratic ticket will be supported by every true friend of the President and by every man who desires to set the mark of approval on what has been accomplished for tariff reform, and will be opposed by every person who wishes to see the Republicans, with their heresy of McKinleyism, restored to power.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

THE WOES OF CHINA.

The Emperor Charges Incompetency and Corruption—A Chinese Cruiser Abandoned and Burned—A Japanese Force Landed North of Canton
BY UNITED PRESS.

London, Sept. 29.—A Shanghai dispatch says the Chinese Emperor attributes the recent Chinese defeats to incompetency and corruption. This caused a panic in the palace and render the position of affairs in China extremely serious.

A Tokyo correspondent says: The commander of the Japanese warship *Namiva* reports that in company with the warship *Akitsushima*, he searched the gulf of Tairenwan in Manchuria and found the Chinese cruiser *Kwang-Kai* stranded. The Chinese, on the approach of the Japanese vessels, fired their vessel and fled.The *Westminster Gazette* prints a Shanghai dispatch to the London news agency stating that a vague rumor is in circulation in Shanghai that a Japanese force has effected a landing to the northward of Chifoo. A dispatch received from Yokohama by same agency states that the reserves and imperial guard have been ordered out.

THE STABBING OF APPO.

Michael Riordan Charged by Appo with Having Stabbed Him.

BY UNITED PRESS.

New York, Sept. 29.—George Appo, the Lexow Committee witness against the green goods men, whose throat was cut, yesterday, in a saloon on West street, charged Michael Riordan in court to-day with having stabbed him. Riordan held to bail. A policeman made a charge of attempted suicide against Appo.

RE-IMPORTED WHISKEY,

Secretary Carlisle Rules That It Must Pay a Tax of \$1.10 per Gallon.

BY UNITED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—Secretary Carlisle, to-day, decided that whiskey exported under the McKinley law and imported again into this country during the operation of that law and placed in bonded warehouses, but withdrawn under the new tariff, should pay \$1.10 per gallon.

KILLED BY AN ELECTRIC CAR.

BY UNITED PRESS.

Pittsburg, Sept. 29.—Last evening, a wagon containing William Jones and wife, was struck by an electric car. Mrs. Jones was killed and Jones was slightly injured.

COPIES OF THE CONSTITUTION.

BY UNITED PRESS.

ALBANY, Sept. 29.—In the Constitutional Convention, to-day, the printing of 20,000 more copies of the constitution was ordered.

KILLED BY A LACKAWANNA EXPRESS.

BY UNITED PRESS.

Norwich, N. Y., Sept. 29.—Farmer Newton and Mrs. Edward Southern, a domestic in his family, were instantly killed by the Richfield Springs express on the Lackawanna railroad, this morning.

GOOD RIDDANCE.

BY UNITED PRESS.

ALBANY, Sept. 29.—The Constitutional Convention, at 12:30, adjourned sine die.

LITERARY NOTES.

—Under the title of "Issues of the Coming Elections," the October number of the *North American Review* contains two important articles written respectively by the Hon. William L. Wilson and Ex-Speaker Reed, in which the principles on which both the great parties will go before the nation in the approaching campaign are outlined with precision and authority.8
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SLOATSBURG.

A Wedding—Nearing Completion—A New House—Personal Notes.

Correspondence Angus and MERCURY.

—Cards are out for the wedding on Oct. 10th of Miss Carrie Miller and Mr. Bert Becroft, of this place.

—The new parsonage is nearing completion and is a fine building and a credit to the place.

—Mr. John Waldron has broken ground for a new house opposite Mr. William Finch's.

—Mr. N. Rose has been visiting Mr. T. Call, of Cornwall-on-the-Hudson.

—Miss Mary Rose is visiting at Stony Point.

—Mrs. R. McCready is contemplating a visit to Mr. McCready's people in Belfast, Ireland.

—George Whitmore is attending school at Paterson, N. J.

—Ernest Becroft has accepted a position as clerk in Mr. J. Whitmore's store.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT.

JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 15 North street, Middletown, N. Y.

Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29, '94.

	High	Low	Close
Sugar	94 1/2	93 1/2	93 1/2
2 B. & S. F.	81 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
C. B. & C.	78 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2
Chicago Gas	70 1/2	69 1/2	70 1/2
D. L. & G.	70 1/2	69 1/2	70 1/2
D. L. & T. F.	9 1/2	9	9 1/2
Electric	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
L. & N.	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
L. S.	135	135	135
M. P.	27	27	27
N. Y. & N. E.	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
N. Y. P. & P.	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
D. & W.	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Manhattan	116 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2
P. & T.	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
R. I.	61	60 1/2	60 1/2
C. M. & St. P.	64 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
W. Union	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
U. S. Cordage	15	14 1/2	14 1/2
Nat. Lead	39	39	39
Dec. Wheat	53 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2
Mac. Oats	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Jan. Pork	\$13 37	\$13 25	\$13 25
Jan. Lard	7 80	7 70	7 75

DIED.

LEVINS.—In this city, Sept. 29th, '94, Patrick Levins, aged sixty-two years, Funeral Monday, at ten o'clock, from his late residence, corner Fulton and Canal streets, at St. Joseph's Church, at ten-thirty o'clock, with requiem high mass. Interment in St. Joseph's Cemetery.

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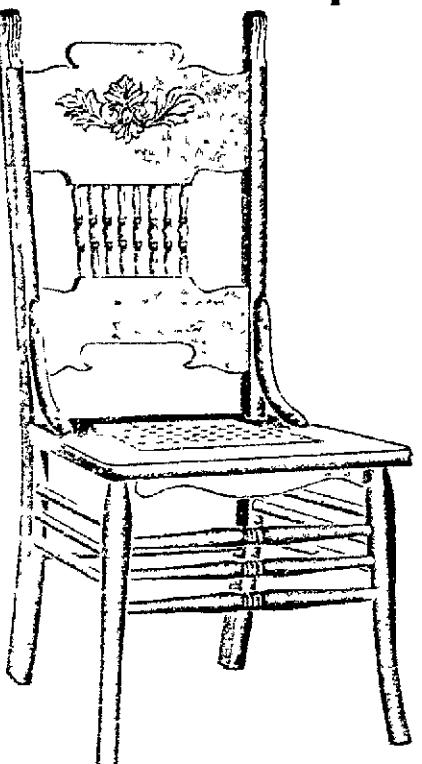
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but don't bolt your food or Dyspepsia will claim you. If you are already its victim, use McMonagle & Rogers' Pepsin Essence. Pleasant to take, gives relief, effects a cure. Large size bottles 75c, trial bottles 25c.

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LADIES', CHILDREN'S, AND INFANTS' FURNISHINGS.

DAILY ARGUS.

OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY UNITED PRESS.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—Fair, variable winds.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Frank's drug store, to-day
7 a. m., 61°; 12 m., 76°; 3 p. m., 81°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

—Oct. 1—"Charles's Aunt" at Casino.
—Oct. 4—Parade of Middletown Fire Department.
—Oct. 5—Mollie Whitten's Jockey Minstrels, at the Casino.
—Oct. 10—Middletown Wheelmen's meet, at Campbell track.
—Oct. 11—Ball of Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, at Assembly Rooms.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Latest novelties in fall and winter millinery at A. T. Fane's.
—Mollie Whitten's Jockey Minstrels, at the Casino, Friday evening.
—Large pair for the golf shoes at Chas. D. Fancher & Co.'s.
—Winter cloaks from 98 cents up at C. W. Fancher & Co.'s.
—Large print Oxford teachers' bibles \$2.25 at Fancher & Fenton's.
—Dr. Valk will be at Dr. Mills' office Oct. 4th.
—Fine cut and potted plants for sale by Mr. Fernhaber.
—All veterans are requested to attend the funeral of T. M. Hyatt.
—Clam chowder to-night, at Herman's.
—Oysters, clams, etc., at Tooten's.
—Clam chowder at North Street Hotel.
—Dancing, to-night, at Nicholson's Hall.
—Five pleasant rooms to let.
—"Times saves dollars," see adv. of W. D. Oney.
—Good four-seventeen quarter barrel sack at I. B. Taylor & Co.'s.
—Large assortment of fall millinery at Frank Crawford's.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Register, to-night.
—The Walton Reporter notes that William Miller, this week, removed from that village to Middletown.

—The Paterson Gas Company has announced a reduction in price of from \$2 to \$1.50 per thousand feet.

—A number of Middletown people went to Pine Bush, to-day, to attend some local trotting races.

—John S. Johnson rode a paced mile, flying start, at Welch, Mass., yesterday, in 1:50 3/5, thus bearing the world's record by two seconds.

—Woodchucks are hunted for market in the central part of the State. They are used in making soup for the free lunch counters of saloons.

—The Wayne county fair, at Honesdale, this week, was more largely attended than any fair ever held in the county.

—The Port Jervis Building and Loan Association, No. 1, sold \$6,000, Thursday evening, at a premium of 13 1/2 per cent.

—Binghamton's Common Council, at the request of the barbers, has passed an ordinance requiring the barber shops of the city to remain closed on Sundays.

—The trolley wire broke at the corner of Lake avenue this morning and the cars on the Asylum route only ran as far as that corner for some hours.

—Two suits for \$2,000 each have been instituted by the parents of the children, poisoned in Paterson two months ago by drinking cherry beer, which contained arsenic, against Phillip Pfeinebacker, the bottler who put up the stuff.

—There are twenty-three prisoners in the Delaware county jail, more than it can accommodate. The sheriff has been compelled to fit up a room in the basement of the court house in which to keep the short term prisoners.

—Ferry & Napier's hat factory in Newburgh, which has been very busy, will shut down, next week, for necessary repairs. A new schedule of wages will be arranged during the shut down.

—First Congregational Church, Rev. Wm. A. Robinson, D. D., pastor.—Sunday School at 9:15 a. m.; morning service at 11 a. m.; Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m.; Young people's meeting at 6:30 p. m., consecration service, evening service at 7:30 p. m., Rev. Dr. C. C. Creegan, of New York, will preach at the morning service, and Rev. J. W. Norris in the evening. Cordial invitation to all.

PERSONAL.

—Mrs. Arthur Lindsay, of Middletown, is in Liberty visiting relatives and friends.—Register.

—Wm. Fleming, of Croton Lake, Westchester county, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Morris Hudler.

—W. H. Woodruff, day yardmaster at Hancock Junction, has gone for a few days' visit with friends in Middletown and Port Jervis.—Hancock Herald.

—Messrs. Howard H. Hagan, with McMonagle & Rogers, Howard Barnes, with F. M. Pronk, and Robt. Graham, with R. C. Tuthill, will go to New York, Monday, to enter the College of Pharmacy.

—Miss Flora Horton left, last evening, on Erie train 5 for Cleveland, Ohio, where she will visit with Mrs. Wm. Millspaugh, of this city, at the residence of Mrs. Millspaugh's sister, Mrs. Loraine Prentiss.

—Mr. Lawrence Distler, who has been for the past two years, a very diligent student of medicine with Dr. D. B. Smiley, of this city, left here, this morning, for New York city, to

enter, Monday next, the College of Physicians and Surgeons.

—Mrs. Eli C. Corwin and Mrs. Esther Brown, of Middletown, returned home this morning from a two days' visit to the family of Mr. David S. Mapes, of Matamoras, Pa.—Port Jervis Gazette.

—Mr. J. Ed. Brown, of the New York Custom House, a hold over Republican, who, for some inscrutable reason, is permitted by Democratic officials to feed at the public crib, was in town, to day. He came up to register, that he may vote against the party whose officials keep him in the public service.

—Mr. Galen P. Damon is visiting his grandson, Engineer George A. Baker, at his residence on Beacon Terrace. Mr. Damon, who is eighty-seven years of age, has for the past fifty years been a resident of Rutland, Mass., but has recently taken up his residence with his daughter at Matamoras, Pa. He has been a life-long Democrat and his first vote was cast for Andrew Jackson in 1832. Mrs. Damon, his wife, who lives at Matamoras, is ninety-three years of age.

—Register, to-night.

A DEER HUNTING EXPEDITION.

Going to Sullivan County to be Present at the Opening of the season.

Constable Chas. Faulkner, of this city, will join a party of hunters from Circleville, and will start this afternoon, for Black Lake, Sullivan County, where they will spend next week hunting deer.

Deer have been protected in Sullivan county for the past three years and are said to be quite numerous now. The season opens on Monday, Oct. 1, and lasts but one month.

—Messrs. D. W. Shaw, John and Emmet Bull, Frank Coddington, Frank Mills and others will make up the party.

Why the G. and W. Did Not Build a Bridge.

From the *Evening Press*.

The village authorities having protested against the pier which the railroad company was putting in the brook near the depot, thinking it might cause trouble in times of high water, the company at once stopped the work, took away the cement brought for use in the work here and the whole business. Where there was to be a fine, new, iron bridge, will, for the present, at least, remain the old wooden structure.

The Delaware County Fair.

The Delaware County Fair, held at Delhi, this week, was very successful. The number of exhibits was large and they were of superior quality. The attendance was larger than it has been in many years, fully 6,000 persons having been on the grounds, Wednesday.

—Register, to-night.

A Small but Watchful Guardian.

Conductor Gus Person, while on the West Main street run, last evening, noticed a man lying upon the bank of the lawn in front of a West Main street residence. He started to arouse him when a little dog jumped out from the folds of the man's coat and would not allow Gus to touch the fellow. The demonstration made by the dog, however, was sufficient to awaken its master, and by the time the car returned on its next trip dog and man had disappeared.

Annual Sermon to Excelsior.

The members of Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company will attend the Second Presbyterian Church, to-morrow evening, the occasion being the annual sermon by the chaplain, Rev. Chas. Beattie. The uniformed rank will wear full uniform, and honoraries are invited to attend in citizens dress with fatigue caps or derby hats. The company will assemble at the truck house at 7 o'clock sharp.

Secured Prizes on Her Paintings.

Mrs. T. F. Walsh, nee McConnell, of the North End, had several of her paintings on exhibition at the recent Orange county fair at Newburgh. Her pictures, with many others, were examined by competent artists, and Mrs. Walsh was awarded three of the prizes. She is very skillful with the brush, and has a large collection of beautiful work all done by herself.

Base Ball Notes.

—The regular season of the National League closes, to-day. The struggle between the three leading clubs has been one of the prettiest ever seen. Much interest is felt in this city over the coming Temple Cup series between the Baltimores and New Yorks, who finished first and second in the League race.

Turf and Horse Notes.

—Lady Fargo and Boy Blue, both of whom made good showing at the Middletown and Goshen races, were beaten in three straight heats in the 2:27 class, at Trenton, yesterday, by Billy Ackerson.

Newburgh Militiamen at the Butt.

Sixteen of the twenty-five members of the 10th Separate Company, of Newburgh, who shot on the arms house range, Thursday, qualified as marksmen. Sergeant Jagger made the best score, 43, and won the Wolfcott medal for the third time.

OBITUARY.

Patrick Levias

Patrick Levias died at his home at the corner of Fulton and Canal streets, at 3:30, this morning, aged sixty-two years.

Deceased was born in Ireland and came to Middletown about thirty years ago. For a number of years he has conducted a saloon at the corner of Canal and Fulton streets.

He is survived by his wife, Mary, and one brother and two sisters, all residents of this city.

The funeral will be held Monday, at 10 o'clock, from his late residence, with requiem high mass at 10:30 o'clock, at St. Joseph's Church. Interment in St. Joseph's Cemetery.

WHERE DID THEY GET THE SWAG.

Two Tramps Arrested at the Summit With Stolen Goods in Their Possession.

Shortly after 1 o'clock, this afternoon, a couple of tramps engaged in an altercation at the Summit and were arrested by Special Officer Frank Römer.

They were brought to police headquarters and when searched were found to be liberally supplied with money and were also in possession of a half dozen Rogers silver-plated knives, a half dozen spoons and about two dozen aluminum thimbles.

The articles were in original packages and all new. The boxes were somewhat shopworn and looked as though they might once have formed a part of the stock of some country store.

The tramps will be held to await developments.

Y. M. C. A. ANNIVERSARY.

Prominent Speakers who will Deliver Addresses

The anniversary of the Y. M. C. A. will be observed, Sunday evening, Oct. 7th, in the First Presbyterian, First Baptist and First Congregational churches.

The prominent speakers who will be present are Dr. L. C. Warner, Chairman of the State Committee, a strong magnetic speaker, widely known for his activity in Christian work and his large gifts to Oberlin College, and as founder of the Home for Working Girls at Bridgeport, Conn.; Mr. Richard L. Purdy, a prominent business man of New York, and for twenty years a leader and worker in the Young Men's Christian Association, and Col. A. S. Bacon, who it will be remembered was instrumental in obtaining the conviction of John Y. McKane and his associates.

Killed in the Erie's Newburgh Yard.

John Moran, eighteen years old, a companion of Homer Sarvis, and who was arrested at the time of the Henderson murder, charged with complicity in the robberies on that fatal night, though not suspected of any part in the murder, was killed in the Erie yard at Newburgh, yesterday morning.

He was in the habit of taking rides on cars in the yard and while stooping over watching a brakeman uncouple cars, the cars moved, catching his head between the bumpers and crushing his skull.

The Winner Litigation.

From the *Monticello Watchman*.

The grand jury, sitting at the last term of court, indicted B. W. Winner again on complaint of James Schoonmaker.

Mr. Winner has given the usual bond and has already commenced to defend himself by bringing an action against Mr. Schoonmaker for malicious prosecution.

King's Daughters Are Now Rich.

The Inasmuch Circle of King's Daughters of the Second Presbyterian Church has received a check for \$109.50 from the O. and W. R. R. Co., its share of the proceeds derived from the Mary Powell excursion, Aug. 1st.

Newburgh's Anti-Vaccination League.

An Anti-Vaccination League was organized in Newburgh, last night, with Dr. P. M. Barclay as President. The object of the League is to secure the repeal of the compulsory vaccination law and the election of a Board of Education and Superintendent of Schools, who will be the servants of the people, not dictators.

Under the Wheels.

Frank Oles, aged 13, who lived with his parents at Walton, attempted to board O. and W. train 1, in the Walton yard about noon yesterday. He missed his footing and fell and the wheels of several cars passed over his legs. He died from the severe hours later.

Recorder's Court.

—One case of plain drunk was quickly disposed of by the Recorder, this morning. The victim claimed to be a hop picker on his way to New York and he was allowed to go on his promise to leave town at once.

Take it as you get it, in liquid or powder form, only see that you get Simmons Liver Regulator. It cures Sick headache, Biliousness and Constipation. You need not make a tea of it. A spoonful of the liquid, or a pinch of the powder, just before going to bed will insure refreshing sleep, and the next morning you feel as though you had a new lease on life. Sample package powder, 25 cents.

—Modern Beauty

Thrive on good food and sunshine, with plenty of exercise in the open air. Her form glows with health and her face blooms with its beauty. If her system needs the cleansing action of a laxative remedy, she uses the gentle and pleasant Liquid Laxative Syrup of Figs.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

GEO. B. ADAMS & CO.

SATURDAY, SHOE DAY

SHOTS HERE AND THERE.
AN "ARGUS" MAN OFF DUTY
AIMS AT SEVERAL SUBJECTS.

Proposed New Homeopathic Hospital for the Insane—The Site Selected in Erie County—Lowest Price for Wheat on Record—Cheap Flour Not a Blessing to Bakers.

Among the reports submitted at the meeting of the State Homeopathic Medical Society was one concerning the new Homeopathic Hospital for the Insane, which is to be erected in Western New York. The site selected, by act of the last Legislature, is the Collins Farm in the town of Collins, Erie county, about twenty-five miles southwest of Buffalo, on the line of the Buffalo and Jamestown railroad. The farm comprises 500 acres of productive land and while nearly level is sufficiently undulating to provide for thorough drainage. There are numerous springs of good water on the property and about thirty acres of young timber which, when improved by walks and drives, will largely contribute to the beauty and completeness of the place for the uses to which it has been set apart. There is no waste or swampy land on the farm and its salubrity cannot be questioned for in all that region there are no sources of malaria.

It is estimated that when suitable buildings are erected 1,200 insane patients can be accommodated. Statistics compiled two years ago by the Medical Society's committee on legislation showed that there were every year between 300 and 400 persons committed to the State Hospitals for the insane, for whom homeopathic treatment was desired. One-half that number would keep the Middletown hospital full to overflowing and the remainder, residing principally in the Western part of the State, are compelled to accept non-homeopathic treatment in non-homeopathic hospitals. Therefore the Homeopathic Medical Society urges all homeopathic physicians to exert whatever influence they can to secure from the next Legislature an adequate initiatory appropriation for the erection of buildings at Collins Farm.

Wheat sold, yesterday, in Chicago, at fifty cents a bushel, the lowest ever recorded at the Board of Trade. It is known that a bushel of wheat will yield about forty pounds of the best grade of flour, and from forty pounds of flour not less than fifty pounds of bread can be made, so that, when wheat is fifty cents a bushel, bread can be made for a cent a pound. A Chicago paper, discussing this subject says:

A man would need to hire an express wagon to take home a half a dollar's worth of bread, and if his family did not consist of more than himself and wife and two children, his fifty cents would keep them all in bread for two weeks, estimating their united bread appetites at three and a half pounds a day.

At first flush, it would seem that with very cheap flour, bakers ought to prosper and grow rich at a very rapid rate, but cheap flour is, on the contrary, anything but a blessing to them. When flour is dear many families that have to figure closely on the cost of living, buy their bread, but just as soon as flour goes down they bake their own bread. A prominent baker said to me, not long ago, that his sales of bread were not one-third what they were at this season, two years ago, and the reason for this falling off was not that competition was keener, but that families were eating home-made bread, because it was so much cheaper than baker's bread. Continuing, my friend, the baker, said: "Our expenses go on practically without change whether we sell much or little bread, and although the low price of flour enables us to effect a little saving, it does not at all compensate for the decrease in profits resulting from a loss of business. Bakers don't want flour to cost too much, but on the other hand, they don't like to have it cost too little. We could make more money with it at \$8 a barrel than we can make with it at \$4."

Pastor Nichols's Donation.

The members and friends of the Bethel M. E. Church will give a donation visit for their pastor, Rev. J. H. Nichols, at his room, 13 South street, Wednesday evening, Oct. 3. Anything the friends and public may feel disposed to give will be thankfully received and gratefully acknowledged by the committee.

Registering the Voters.

The Boards of Registry of the seven-eleven districts are in session, to-day, in the respective polling places. The registration is light, as usually is on the first day.

Dr. Hand's Ccure in Hudson.

Hudson, N. Y., Sept. 28, 1893.

I bought a bottle of Dr. Hand's Ccure and found it so good for my baby, who was suffering from colic so that I could not get a moment's rest night or day. I now take pleasure in writing this so that every mother can know about it, for I hope that Dr. Hand's medicines will find their way into every family in the land.—Mrs. Oscar Shock, 48 Chapel street, Dr. Hand's Ccure is sold by all drug stores for 15c.

PROHIBITION CONVENTIONS.

Theo. Fredericks Nominated for Congress and Thos. W. Smith for Member of Assembly.

The Prohibition Congressional Convention for this district was held, to-day, at the W. C. T. U. rooms at 2 p. m. A goodly number of delegates was present. Mr. Theo. Fredericks, of Haverstraw, was nominated for Congress. Hon. W. J. Groo was selected as chairman of the Congressional Committee.

After the adjournment of the Congressional Convention, the Assembly Convention for the Second District of Orange county was called to order by Chairman Belding, and Mr. Thomas W. Smith, of Middletown, was unanimously nominated for Member of Assembly.

OVER THE SHAWANGUNKS.

WHAT OUR NEIGHBORS IN SULLIVAN COUNTY ARE DOING.

All the News from All Parts of the County—Many Matters of Interest Condensed from our Sullivan Exchanges and Contributed by Wide-Awake Correspondents.

The Neversink town fair, at Grahamsville, Wednesday, was largely attended.

The Sullivan County Club house will close Monday. The season has been a successful one.

The skin of rattlesnake six feet long has been added to the museum of the Hotel Rockwell, Monticello. The snake was killed in the town of Tusten.

An attempt was made a few days ago to sell the stock of a Monticello livery stable at auction, but the sale was stopped after one horse had been knocked down for \$10 and another for \$18 50.

Thirty-six pigs were fattened from the refuse of Hotel Wawonda during the summer. The proprietors sold the porkers the other day at eight cents per pound dressed.—Register.

A dog poisoner has been busy of late in Monticello. A valuable dog belonging to Sheriff Beecher ate of the poisoned meat and crackers that were thrown about the streets and died. Coroner Norton has also lost a dog.

The 69th annual convention of the Sullivan County Bible Society will be held in the Baptist Church at Liberty, Wednesday, Oct. 10th, 1894. The afternoon session promises to be of unusual interest as does that of the evening. Addresses will be delivered by Messrs. H. J. Sarles, of Liberty; Rev. Mason Gillespie, of Mongaup Valley; Rev. David K. Van Doren, of Mechanicville; Rev. M. Van Ostenburg, of Napanoch and others.

Indictments were found by the last Grand Jury against the Town Board of Neversink for failing to destroy the ballots voted at the last town meeting. It seems that the ballots were put in a stove where they smothered the fire, and many of them were not burned and were found by certain parties, who by comparing the numbers with the poll list found how citizens had voted and were at pains to let it be known that many prominent Republicans had supported the Democratic candidate for Supervisor.

John F. Gundlach, of New York, who was visiting his father-in-law, Jacob Von B-rgen, of Kenozia Lake, started with his son for a ride on Sunday last. The shaft strap broke, and the horse ran away, throwing the occupants out of the wagon. Mr. Gundlach at first seemed unhurt, but died in less than half an hour. It is supposed he sustained internal injuries. The boy was not injured. Mr. Gundlach was forty-six years old and leaves four orphan children, their mother having died several years ago.

THE JAIL POPULATION.

Sheriff Beecher left, Monday, for Dannemora prison with Burton, sentenced last week to three years and six months for forgery, and Mehrkin and Stein for two years and six months for burglarizing Sherwood's store in Livingston Manor. This exodus, with Osterhout's discharge, who left on Friday night for his humble home in Fallsburgh, reduces the prison population to four: Abram Barnett confined for arson, and awaiting his trial; Schuyler Irwin for cutting up Burger in Liberty, some weeks ago; Jacob Atmus for threatening the life of Mrs. Knock, up in Fremont, and William H. Merritt, confined under execution against the person, in favor of John S. Prince and Wilbur J. Prince for \$38.57 judgment and \$10.10 costs. The execution was issued by Justice B. T. Lawrence, of Hurleyville.—Watchman.

Tired, Weak, Nervous.
Means impure blood, and overwork, or too much strain on brain and body. The only way to cure is to feed the nerves on pure blood. Thousands of people certify that the best blood purifier, the best nerve tonic and strength builder is Hood's Sarapilla. What it has done for others will also do for you—Hood's Cures.

Hood's Pills cure constipation by restoring peristaltic action of the alimentary canal.

You must register in person or you cannot vote. Attend to it, to-night.

MIDDLETOWN TURN VEREIN.

Committee Appointed to Arrange for Its Incorporation—An Opening Hop.

The Middletown Turn Verein held a meeting at No. 7 Depot street, last evening. Sixteen new members were elected. It was decided to incorporate the organization, and a committee was appointed to prepare the necessary papers.

A practice meeting will be held on Monday, at Nearing's Hall, North street, and hereafter such meetings will be held twice a week.

An opening hop will be given on Wednesday evening, Oct. 3, and it was voted to invite the members of the North End Turn Verein to be present on that occasion.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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M. R. FERNHABER is ready to serve his friends with all kinds of cut flowers, wedding decorations, funeral designs, and all kinds of potted plants ready to bloom for the winter.

WE ARE showing a fine assortment of Fall Millinery. The ladies will find us headquarters for stylish millinery at close prices. Our assortment of novelties, this fall, will be larger than ever.

It is FRANK CRAWFORD, 15 West Main St.

DR. FRANCIS TALK will be at Dr. T. D. Mills' office Thursday, Oct. 4th.

TO LET—Five rooms, first floor, new house, on Broad street. Enquire at 37 Broad st. It's

DANCING, to-night, at Nicholson's North End Hall.

CLAM Chowder at North Street Hotel, to-night.

CLAM Chowder, to-night, at HERMAN'S Restaurant, 41 James street.

OYSTERS 25 cents per quart. Blue Point oysters in the shell. Lobsters, Little Neck clams, etc. TOTTEN'S Restaurant, opposite Casino.

ATTENTION, Comrades! All members of General Post are requested to report at headquarters Sunday afternoon, Sept. 30th, at 2:30 o'clock, to attend funeral of comrade T. M. Hyatt. All veterans are invited to attend.

A. R. WHEELER, Commander.

BENJ. TERWILLIGER, Adjutant.

FURNISHED Room for rent. Enquire at this office.

HAVE Sold during the summer months for Frank G. Kain, Esq., 25 special buildings, and 400 houses Royal and Highland Avenue, and Beacon street. Houses to be built and others planned. Will sell a few more lots at the same prices.

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